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TO: Minerals File

FROM: Lynn Kunzler, Reclamation Specialist 

RE: Site Inspection, William L. Bown, Lynn Spring Quarry, S/003/025, Box Elder County, Utah

Date of Inspection:	September 25, 1994
Time of Inspection:	12:00 noon
Conditions:	Clear
Participants:	Tony Gallegos and Lynn Kunzler, DOGM
Purpose of Inspection:	Determine acreage of disturbance

A sketch of this project was supplied with the NOI. Using dimensions given on the sketch, it was determined that this site could exceed the 5-acre limit for a SMO. No one else was present at the site for this inspection. During the inspection, we used a hip chain to determine the current disturbed area and the vehicle odometer to determine the length of new road construction. The North area was determined to be about 2 acres in size, the south area was determined to be about 1 acre in size and the roads (.4 miles long by 15' ave. width) about 1.4 acres for a total current disturbed area of 4.4 acres.

In commenting on the proposed Plan of Operation (August 15, 1994) submitted to the Division by the U.S. Forest Service, the Division requested acreage of all mine related disturbance, including USFS, BLM and private lands and the status of roads. It appears from the file that all of the disturbed area inspected is USFS Land. It is quite possible that the current disturbance (and certainly the proposed disturbance could exceed the 5-acre limit for a small mining operation. The Division will await a response to the August 15th review letter before taking any further action.

Photographs were taken of the area to document current status.

cc: William Bown, Operator
Donald E. Peterson, USFS
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